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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed July 16, 2003 in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully submit the following Amendment and Response. A Petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time for Response, up to and including November 16, 2003, is submitted herewith.

- <u>Amendments to the Claims</u> are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- The **RESPONSE** begins on page 9 of this paper.